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REMARKS

Reconsideration of this application, as amended, is respectfully requested.

The Examiner's allowance of claims 6-19 and the Examiner's indication of the allowability of the subject matter of claims 4 and 5 are respectfully acknowledged.

Claims 1-5 have been canceled, and claims 6-10, 12, 13, 15, 17 and 18 have been amended only to make some minor grammatical improvements and to correct some minor antecedent basis problems so as to put them in better form for issuance in a U.S. patent.

No new matter has been added, and no new issues with respect to patentability have been raised.

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the amendments to the claims be approved and entered, and it is respectfully submitted that claims 6-19 are in condition for immediate allowance.

It is respectfully submitted, moreover, that the amendments to the claims are <u>not</u> related to patentability, and do not narrow the scope of the claims either literally or under the doctrine of equivalents.

In view of the foregoing, entry of this Amendment, allowance of the claims, and the passing of this application to issue are respectfully solicited.

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If the Examiner has any comments, questions, objections or recommendations, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the telephone number given below for prompt action.

Respectfully submitted,

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